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SUBJ: PETRONAS TO SEEK FOREIGN EXPERTS ASSISTANCE

REF: ECONOMIC ALERT LIST

1. PETRONAS CHAIRMAN TAN SRI KADIR SHAMSUDDIN ANNOUNCED
ON JUNE 20 THAT PETRONAS WILL BE SEEKING THE SERVICES
OF FOREIGN EXPERTS TO ASSIST IT IN ESTABLISHING A LONG-
TERM PLAN FOR THE EXPLOITATION OF PETROLEUM RESOURCES IN
THE COUNTRY. KADIR MADE THE STATEMENT AT A CEREMONY AT
WHICH THE STATE GOVERNMENT OF TRANGGANU RECEIVED ITS FIRST
ROYALTY CHECK FOR ESSO'S PRODUCTION OF CRUDE IN THE
COASTAL WATERS OF THE STATE.

2. COMMENT: KADIR'S COMMENT IS THE FIRST ON THIS TOPIC
SINCE THE JAPANESE FIRM C. ITOH COMPLETED ITS MASTER
PLAN STUDY FOR PETRONAS LAST YEAR.
THE STUDY IS REPORTEDLY GEARED TO THE JAPANESE
ECONOMY AND IS OF MORE USE TO THE JAPANESE THAN
TO PETRONAS. FOR THIS REASON, PETRONAS, WHICH
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SELECTED C. ITOH, HAS BEEN RELUCTANT TO COMMENT
ON THE STUDY IN THE PAST. END COMMENT.
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